IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

PATRICK S. TATE<sup>1</sup>,

Plaintiff,

**ORDER** 

v.

Case No. 20-cv-704-jdp

JOHN DOE, et al.

Defendants.

Plaintiff Patrick S. Tate has filed a proposed civil complaint and requested leave to proceed without prepaying the filing fee. To evaluate plaintiff's request to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee, I must review a certified copy of plaintiff's inmate trust fund account statement (or institutional equivalent) for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2).

For this case to proceed, plaintiff must submit the certified trust fund account statement no later than August 20, 2020. If I find that plaintiff is indigent, I will calculate an initial partial payment amount that must be paid before the court can screen the merits of the complaint under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2). Thereafter, plaintiff will be required to pay the balance of the filing fee in installments.

## **ORDER**

IT IS ORDERED that plaintiff Patrick S. Tate may have until August 20, 2020 to submit a

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The case caption is amended to replace plaintiff Wisconsin Inmate with Patrick S. Tate to match the signature on the complaint.

trust fund account statement for the period beginning approximately January 30, 2020 and ending approximately July 30, 2020. If, by August 20, 2020, plaintiff fails to respond to this order, I will assume that plaintiff wishes to withdraw this action voluntarily. In that event, the case will be closed without prejudice to plaintiff filing the case at a later date.

Entered this 30th day of July, 2020.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ PETER OPPENEER Magistrate Judge